REMARKS

In connection with the above-referenced application, Applicant requests reference to the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing contained in U.S. Application No. 10/085,871 filed February 27, 2002, and titled "Strains of Saccharaothrix Process for Producing Pravastin Using the Strains and Isolation Process of (HMG)-COA Reductase" (now U.S. Patent No. 6,716,615). Applicant also hereby requests the use of the compliant computer readable form of the Sequence Listing in the U.S. Patent Application No. 10/085,871. Finally, the paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted herewith is identical to the referenced computer readable form of the Sequence Listing.

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